

# City of Midland, Michigan

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## Statistical Information Economic and Statistical Data Year Ended June 30, 2004

### Location and Area

The City of Midland, Michigan, consisting of 35.6489 square miles, is located in the east central portion of Michigan's Lower Peninsula. Midland is also the County Seat and the location of the corporate headquarters for The Dow Chemical Company. The City of Midland is a stable residential and industrial community with above-average incomes and educational levels. Many of the City's residents are professional, technical, or management employees of Dow Chemical and, to a large extent, the work force is made up of employees with a chemical, research, or academic background.

The City of Midland, Michigan, in relation to other major cities in Michigan, is located approximately as follows:

120	miles northwest of Detroit
86	miles north of Lansing
111	miles northeast of Grand Rapids
19	miles west of Bay City
24	miles northwest of Saginaw
27	miles east of Mt. Pleasant

### City Government

Midland is governed by a five-member elected City Council. Every two years, the Council elects one of its members to serve as mayor. Daily administration is headed by a City Manager. This Council-Manager form of government has been in effect since January 1945. The City's fiscal year commences July 1 and ends June 30.

### Statistical Data

Total	377	Full time
Number	114	Part time
Employees	<u>142</u>	Temporary and seasonal
	633	Total
Fire	3	Fire stations
Protection	45	Fire fighting personnel
	1	Clerical personnel
Police	1	Police station
Protection	48	Sworn police officers
	3	Clerical personnel
	18	Part-time crossing guards
Streets	78.33	miles major streets
	152.1	miles local streets
	16.05	miles state highway

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### Water Operation

Raw water is pumped from Lake Huron by the Saginaw-Midland Municipal Water Supply Corporation, a facility owned jointly by the two cities. The raw water is then pumped to the two communities for treatment at their individual treatment plants.

Water treatment plant capacity:	
Potable water	28.8 MGD
Industrial grade water	19.2 MGD
Customers:	
City - Potable water	15,370
Industrial water	2
Water District No. 1	2,756
Auburn	917
Homer Township	852
Larkin Township	602
Midland Township	494
Water mains	306 miles
Hydrants	2,558

**Sewers**  
194 miles of sanitary sewers  
168 miles of storm sewers

**Recreation**  
6 major parks  
8 active recreation parks  
61 neighborhood parks  
    Total park area (approximately 2,700 acres)  
  
1 9-hole municipal par 3 golf course  
2 18-hole municipal golf courses  
1 twin artificial ice rink arena  
1 municipal swimming pool  
1 15,000 ft.<sup>2</sup> skateboard park

<b>Population</b>	1940 U.S. Census	10,329
	1950 U.S. Census	14,285
	1960 U.S. Census	27,779
	1970 U.S. Census	35,176
	1980 U.S. Census	37,269
	1990 U.S. Census	38,053
	2000 U.S. Census	41,685